FPI-Export Growth

4367. SHRI SUDHIR GIRI : Will the Minister of FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES be pleased to state :

(a) the number of food processing industries centres set up for accelerating export growth in the country, State-wise;

(b) the amount of assistance, if any, made by the Central Government to such centres during the last two years; and

(c) whether the assisted centres have achieved the projected target?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES (SHRI DILIP KUMAR RAY) : (a) to (c). No specific export oriented food processing industries centre has been set up. However, in existing export processing zones, many food processing units have been set up.

Non-Conventional Energy Sources, Kerala

4368. SHRI MULLAPPALLY RAMACHANDRAN :
SHRI T. GOVINDAN :

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state :

(a) the various schemes of the department;

(b) the number of schemes implemented and the quantum of solar energy generated under the scheme in Kerala;

(c) total amount sanctioned, spent for the schemes during the past three years, Year-wise and Scheme-wise;

(d) the employmnent opportunity generated by the schemes during the said period; and

(e) the amount likely to be spent for their development during this year?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF NON-CONVENTIONAL ENERGY SOURCES (DR. S. VENUGOPALACHARI) : (a) and (b). A wide range of schemes for utilising non-conventional energy sources such as Biogas, Improved Chulha, Solar Thermal, Solar Photovoltaics, Small Hydro, Biomass gasification/ Cogeneration/combustion, SPV water pumping, Wind Energy etc. are under implementation throughout the country including the State of Kerala. The quantum of solar energy generated in Kerala is given in the attached statement-I.

(c) and (d). The total amount sanctioned, spent in Kerala for the schemes during the past three years, year-wise and scheme-wise is given in the attached statement-II. The employment opportunities generated under the major schemes during the said peirod in Kerala is estimated to be 4.2 lakh mandays.

(e) Plan outlay for the current financial year 1996-97 for the whole country is Rs.334 crores. There is no State-wise allocation of funds.

STATEMENT -I

The quantum of solar energy generated in Kerala

S.No.	Name of solar energy schemes under Implementation in Kerala	Quantum of estimated solar energy generated during first four years of 8th Five Year Plan			
		1992-93	1993-94	1994-95	1995-96
1	2	3	4	5	6
1.	Solar Photovoltaic Demonstration Programme (Kwh)	33,000	52,500	66,000	1,62,000
2.	Solar Thermal Extansion Programme (million kwh of electricity equivalent)	1.04	1.168	1.565	1.565
3.	Solar Cooker Programme (Fuel Wood savings in Kgs.)	89.400	1,02,600	1,12,800	1,12,800

STATEMENT-II

Total Amount sanctioned, spent in Kerala during last three years

(Rs. in lakhs)

S.No.	Name of the Schemes under implementation in Kerala	Total amount sanctioned, spent in Kerala for the schemes during past three years.		
		1993-94 sanctioned & spent	1994-95 sanctioned & spent	1995-96 sanctioned & spent
1.	Family size Biogas Plants	95.48	49.42	87.36
2.	Improved Chulhas	49.93	-	44.76
3.	Biomass	7.79	2.92	5.17
4.	IREP	19.35	41.06	47.95
5.	Uriagram	2.35	-	23.56
6.	SPV Street Lights SPV Domestic Lights SPV lanterns	67.70	115.13	170.51
7.	Stand-alone wind	-	5.91	7.17
8.	Battery Operated Vehicles	-	-	0.16
9.	Solar Thermal Extension Programme	-	0.41	4.69
10.	Solar Cooker	-	-	0.75
11.	Urban & Industrial wastes	-	3.01	2.70

Acquirement of Land

4369. DR. A.K. PATEL : Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state :

(a) the details of land acquired by the ONGC in Gujarat for drilling and other activities;

(b) whether any formula has been chalked out with consultation with the State Government for paying the land price to land owners in the State;

(c) if so, the details thereof;

(d) whether it is a fact that price of land so arrived at is much less as per the prevailling price; and

(e) if so, whether Government propose to increase the price to be paid to the land owners in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRI T.R. BAALU): (a) A total of about 2880 Hectares of land has been acquired by ONGC in Gujarat State for drilling and other activities.

(b) to (e). The land required for ONGC's activities are acquired through the State Revenue authorities under the provisions of the Land Acquisition Act, 1894, as amended from time to time. The payment of price for the land so acquired is made by ONGC based on the rates fixed by the State Government from time to time in accordance with the said Act. The question of any revision of these rates does not arise as the issue of land price comes under the preview of the concerned State Governments.

[Translation]

Rural Electrification

4370. SHRIMATI SHEELA GAUTAM :
SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA :

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state :

(a) the extent of electrification of villages has been completed in the country during the last three years, till date, State-wise;

(b) the estimated expenditure thereon;

(c) the ratio of electrification between rural and urban areas;

(d) whether the Government propose to privatise the electrification programme;

(e) if so, the details thereof; and

(f) whether all villages of the country are likely to be electrified by 2000AD?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF NON-CONVENTIONAL ENERGY SOURCES (DR. S. VENUGOPALACHARI) : (a) The details of State-wise electrification of villages during the last 3 years i.e.